Earlier references
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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos 24 30 34 & 62

Part B for Jan^{y} 1910

SUBJECT

Patronage of books etc

24 from the I G of Edn no 2790-1/189 dt 10 9 9
Requests sanction to the payment of Rs 1000 as remuneration to the authors of the Karnataka Kavichanthe out-of a certain fund

30 To Ditto no 3140 dt 30 9 9
Enquires what the price of the books, and how many copies have been published

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34 from Ditto no 3973/271 dt 11 10 9
States that the price of the bk, vol I, is Rs 3 and that no copies have been printed

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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FILL HEADING

Patronage to Books &c

From

The D.P.I. of Education

No 2790-1/189 Dated 10-9 09 Received 13/15 -9-9

Diary No 1888 Enclos Spare Copies Serial No 24

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER

Requests Sanction to the payment of Rs 1000/- as remuneration to the authors of the Karnataka Kavi charite out of the provision for the purchase of Sanskrit and Kanada MSS.- in the Oriental Library Budget

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NOTES AND ORDERS

Submitted for orders with References.

2 The D.P.I. of Edn^n originally Recommended a Special grant of Rs 2000 to Mess^rs R Narasimhachar and the late S.G Narasimhachar for their labour in connection with the

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General and Revenue
Secretariat

Edn File No 17 of 1909-10

Serial No

the preparation of the 1st Volume of the Karnataka Kavyacharitre but Govt in their order No 2078 Edn 425-07-2 of the 1st Sept 1908 declined to sanction ~~the~~ any grant ~~with the observation~~ till the work is completed with the observation that Rs 2000 was too high a force to pay for the publication

2 The Dpt now states that the preparation of the 1st Volume of the book has taken 12 years of labour and that the subsequent Volumes cannot be finished for years Mr R Narasimhachar himself doubts whether he will be able to finish the work in his life time. The Dpt therefore Recommends a special grant of Rs 1000 for the authors

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	3 Original work of this kind seems to deserve encouragement & substantial recognition Dewan through 2nd Cr) CBB 23/9/09
1941	4 What is the published price of a copy? How many copies have been printed? If the copies are not available here, please get it from 24/9/09
2nd RJ 25/9	25/9/09
	5 Draft submitted hm 27/9/09 27/9/09 6) Issue SBB 27/9/09
30	To the Dy Com no 3146 & 3099 Enquires what the price of a copy of the Kannada Kanchenike is & how many copies thereof have been published

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From The Dy Sl of Govt

No 3973/271 Dt 11/10/09

States that the price of a copy of the Karnataka Kavya bharathe, Vol I is Rs 3 and that 1000 copies of the book have been printed

The amount spent for printing the copies is only Rs 1000

Submitted

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Hm Dy 9/11/09

Submitted to Govt

SB 9/11/09

Since the Copyright remains with the authors, a sum of 500 Rs may be given as honorarium

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62	To the Dy of Con + Compln No 5974-5 Dy 19-1-10 Sanctions an honorarium of Rs 500/- to the authors of the Karnataka Kavicharite out of the sum allotted for the purchase of sanskrit + Kannada manuscripts and books in the Oriental Library Budget

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION IN MYSORE

No 2290-1 / 189

Bangalore 10t Septe ber 1909

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From

H J BHABHA Esq MA

Inspector General of Education in Mysore

To

K S Chandrasekhara Iyer, Esq ,B A ,B L ,

Secretary to the Government of H I the Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments, Bangalore

SIR

With reference to Government Order No 2078 dated 1st September 1908, I have the honour to request that Government will be pleased to reconsider the question of making a special grant of Rs 2000 to the authors of the Karnataka Kavi Charitre in the light of the further information supplied orally

2 Mr Narasimha Char reports that the expense already incurred in connection with the publication Vol I exceeds Rs 1000 After there are two more volumes yet to appear it is clear that he could not bear the whole burden of the undertaking himself but for substantial aid from Government The decision of the Government not to give anything till the whole work is completed in effect postpones the grant indefinitely The First Volume is said to have taken twelve years of labour, research , and preparation, the subsequent volumes, if they cost anything like a similar scale of work, can not be finished for years, and , in fact, considering the magnitude of the task before Mr Narasimha Char doubts if he will be able to complete it at all in his life Under these circumstances I beg to propose that a substantial grant may be given soon

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3 Regarding the value of the work itself there is not any difference of opinion amongst competent scholars who all speak in high terms of praise about it Mr B L Rice says that it is " of the greatest value for the History of the Language" and that " it may be accepted as a standard authority " Dr Fleet is equally eulogistic Prof M Rangacharya calls it " an excellent addition to Kanarese literature The authors of the lives have embodied the results of historical and archaeological investigation and produced a series of scientific biographies, which is the more valuable because of the extreme scarcity of such works in Indian Literatures I cordially endorse Mr Narasimhachar's contention " that works like this appear only once in a generation and as such deserve some recognition "

4 Under these circumstances I beg to recommend that Government be pleased to grant a sum of Rs 1000 which is nearly the amount expended so far by the authors for publishing Volume I I submit that this is the minimum that ought to be done The amount may be paid from the provision for the purchase of Sanskrit and Kannada MSS and books in the Oriental Library budget

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

H J Bhabha

Inspector General

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To The Dy C of Edn

Date of issue 30 9 09

Signed by M. Lobo B

His letter No 2790-1/09 dd the 10th Sept 1909 Recommending the grant of Rs 1000 to ~~[redacted]~~ the authors of the Karnataka Kavicharite Volume I

Has the honour to enquire what is the published price of a Copy of the Karnataka Kavicharite and how many

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SUBJECT

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Copies have been printed

By order

For Secy

List of enclosures

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Examined by

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION IN MYSORE

No 3973/271 Bangalore 11th October 1909

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From

H J BHABHA ESQ MA

Inspector General of Education in Mysore

To K S Chandrasekhara Iyer Esq BA, BL,
Secretary to the Government of H.H.,
the Maharaja of Mysore,
General & Revenue Depts,
Bangalore

SIR

With reference to your Docket No 3746/Ed^n 17-09-30 dated 30th September 1909, I have the honour to inform you that it is reported that the price of a copy of the Karnataka Kavicharite is Rs 3/- and that the number of copies printed is one thousand

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
H J Bhabha
Inspector General.

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Date of issue 19/10

Signed by MRK-M

READ — Letter No 2790-1/189 of the 10th ~~October~~ Sept 1909 from the Dept of Edn in Mysore Recommending under the circumstances stated a grant of Rs 1,000 to the authors ~~ORIENTAL TRANSLATOR~~ No of the 1st Volume of the Karnataka Kavya Bharathe, the charge being met from the provision for the for the purchase of Sanskrit

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and Kannada manuscripts and books in the Oriental Library Budget

2 Correspondence ending with letter No 3973/271 dt the 11th October 1909 from the same Officer on the Subject

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Order thereon

No 5974-5 dt 19.1.10
Edn 1-09

An honorarium of Rs 500 is sanctioned to the authors of the Karnataka Kavi Charite, the charge being met from the Source pointed out

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For Secy
19/1/10

To The Dy Dir of Edn
Comptroller

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